

## STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES MARINE RESOURCES LABORATORY P.O. BOX 8, 194 MCKOWN POINT RD W. BOOTHBAY HARBOR, MAINE 04575-0008

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COMMISSIONER

September 11, 2020

Fran Smith, Town Clerk 85 Union St. Brunswick, ME 04011-1583

Re: Conservation Closure(s)/Opening(s)

Dear Ms. Smith:

This is to acknowledge receipt of the following: New requests are in BOLD.

| Effective              | End Date              | Shellfish Area  | Status |
|------------------------|-----------------------|---|--------|
| 10/1/2020              | 6/30/2021             | Thomas Point Beach- Southerly from a red painted post positioned on Howards Point. Westerly to the red USCG Channel marker continuing Westerly to the Beverly Oulette Property, (Tax Map 39-20)   | Closed |
| 6/15/2018              | N/A                   | From a line beginning at a red painted post situated on a point of land Known on the Brunswick Tax Assessors Map as MP2 Lot 56 the Legg Mason Trust, running southerly to another red painted post situated at the Merepoint Boat Launch facility.  | Open   |
| 10/4/2016<br>6/15/2018 | Indefinite Indefinite | Northeast Maquoit Bay- closed to softshell clam, hard shell clam, razor clams, and oysters at the following areas:  Wharton Point Landing-From a red painted post stationed northwest corner 43 52'02.36"N/69 59'35.26"W running approximately 50 feet south to a red painted post on the southwest corner 43 54'01.91"N/60 59'35.21"W the running approximately 100' to another red painted post on the southeast corner 43 52'01.75"N/69 59'34.10"W then running north approximately 50' to another red painted post at the northeast corner 43 52'02.13"/69 59'34.01"W.  Outer NE Maquoit Bay- Southeasterly of Bunganuc Point-from a red painted post stationed northwest corner 43 51'20.69"N/69 59"52.97"W running approximately 50 feet to a red painted post on the southwest corner 43 51'20.23"N/69 59'51.89"W then running approximately 100' to another red painted post on the southeast corner 43 51'20.03"N/69 59'51.89"W then running north approximately 50' to another red painted post at the northeast corner 43 51'20.48"/69 59'51.75"W. | Closed |
| 4/15/2017              | Indefinite            | Getchel Ledge Manoment Clam Farm Project – Soft-shell and Hard shell Clams Starting at 43°52'52.17"N/69°53'52.99" running east to 43°52'28.03"N/69°53'52.34"W then south to 43°52'25.69"N/69°52'53.50"W then west to 43°52'25.60"N/69°53'52.95"W then north to the start point. All points are marked with wooden stakes.   | Closed |

DMR asks that you submit conservation closure requests at least **20** days in advance of the scheduled closure as required by DMR Regulations Chapter 7. **Permit requests submitted less than 20 days in advance will be denied.** DMR also reminds you that there is a mandatory 5 day notification period for all conservation closures. Please be sure notification and public postings are made accordingly.

This office approves of the Town of Brunswick's conservation measures. We appreciate your efforts to keep us informed on your conservation activities.

If I can be of further assistance, please don't hesitate to contact me.

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Sincerely,

Denis-Marc Nault

Shellfish Program Supervisor

cc: Daniel White, Marine Patrol Division I - Boothbay Pete Thayer, Area Biologist